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☐ This is an application of a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9(f), and the amounts shown in parentheses apply.

Claims as Amended

(1)	(2) Claims remaining after amendment	(3)	(4) Highest number previously paid for	(5) Present extra	(6) Rate	(7) Additional Fee
Total claims	3	Minus	** = 30	* 0 x	\$50 (25)	= \$ 0
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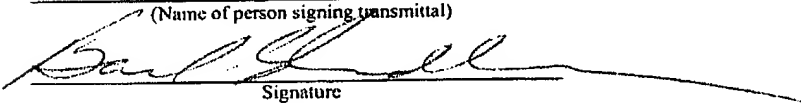
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Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action dated November 2, 2005, having a
three-month statutory period for response set to expire on February 2, 2006, please amend the
above-captioned application as follows.

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Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins
on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.